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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Re: **APPLICATION OF MEMPHIS NETWORKX, LLC FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO PROVIDE INTRASTATE TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES AND JOINT PETITION OF MEMPHIS LIGHT GAS & WATER DIVISION, A DIVISION OF THE CITY OF MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE ("MLGW") AND A&L NETWORKS-TENNESSEE, LLC ("A&L") FOR APPROVAL OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN MLGW AND A&L REGARDING JOINT OWNERSHIP OF MEMPHIS NETWORKX, LLC.**
DOCKET NO. 99-00909

Dear Mr. Waddell:

Please accept our apologies for the tardiness in filing the Position Statement on the Amended Application, filed on behalf of the Time Warner Communications of the Mid-South, Time Warner Telecom of the Mid-South, L.P., and the Tennessee Cable Telecommunications Association. This late filing was due in part to unforeseen communication problems, as well as Friday afternoon's sudden inclement weather developments. Heretofore, we have always made timely filings, and you have our sincere apology for failing to meet the May 5th deadline. We respectfully request that this filing be considered, and that our clients not be prejudiced as a result of these unanticipated circumstances.

Very truly yours,
**FARRIS, MATHEWS, BRANAN
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